

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Small Entity)

Docket No.
P 6048.10001

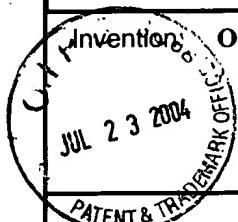
In Re Application Of: Stephen William McCahon et al.

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09/765,838

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OPTICALLY BASED MACHINE INPUT CONTROL DEVICE

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of Jan. 23, 2004 in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

- One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: **April 23, 2004** Date _____ until: **July 23, 2004** Date _____

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

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- is enclosed.
 has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the extension of time is \$475 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
 - The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-2451
 - If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 02-2451

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Dated: July 23, 2004

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on [REDACTED] with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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